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## COMMENT OF THE DAY



Cars, Cars And More Cars  
Here's a glimpse of a busy part of Hongkong round about rush-hour time, 30,000 vehicles on the road today—and 70,000 estimated by 1967. The China Mail discusses this problem in column one.

HOW is Hongkong to avert the nightmare prospect of 70,000 vehicles on the roads by 1967? By which time incidentally the Hongkong Family Planning Association estimates our population will be up to four million. Let's say, for the sake of argument, that total motorable road mileage goes up by 75 to 600 miles in the next 10 years. After all, 10 years ago when the number of licensed vehicles was about 7,000 total road mileage exceeded 400—though perhaps not all was motorable. So there has been very little real increase in that time.

TODAY there are 30,000 vehicles—or 64.4 to the mile. In 1970—if the Traffic Superintendent, Mr A. S. Morrison's estimate ever materialises—there will be 140 cars to the mile. Or, nightmare of nightmares, one car to every 12.6 yards of road. Not all will be using the roads at once, but the majority will at rush-hours.

On top of that there is the prospect of another 1½ million people in the Colony by that time—all of whom will be at some time pedestrians and some of whom public or private transport users.

IT is a frightening thought.

And it is proper to ask in the light of this if there is any plan that could save Hongkong roads from endless traffic jams and the severe strain of carrying ten times the amount of cars they were meant to.

We must also ask whether 75 more miles of motorable roads can be built in the next 10 years in those parts of Hongkong and Kowloon where apparently they will be most needed—namely the city areas—without a massive decentralisation policy being put into effect.

THE chances of this seem remote—but then so is the prospect of 70,000 vehicles. Many will have found motoring intolerable in many parts of the town long before then. And this may be the answer to the question we posed at the outset.

It seems then that the best thing Government can do is to accept realities, make what plans it can to correct the worst of the traffic problems and trust to the sanity of the public to find its own cure for the hardening of the Colony's arteries. There is not much else it can do.

## EDWARDS CASE RESUMES

### Complaints Against Legal Profession And Govt Servants

FURTHER arguments to show cause why he should not be dealt with for contempt of Court were put forward by Mr W. S. Edwards, former assessor of the Inland Revenue Department, before the Full Court this morning.

Mr Edwards was appealing yesterday morning against a decision of Mr Justice A. D. Schools, who dismissed his claim for damages brought against Mr K. M. Almro, Assistant Commissioner of Inland Revenue.

During the proceedings, Mr Edwards was ordered by the Full Court to show cause why he should not be dealt with for contempt for making statements in his notice of motion and affidavit, which were allegations against the Trial Judge.

The Full Court comprised the Chief Justice, Mr Justice M. J. Hogan, and the Senior Puisne Judge, Mr Justice T. J. Gould.

#### Asked For Guidance

The respondent, in the appeal, Mr Almro, was represented by Mr Arthur Hooper, QC, Solicitor General, and Mr J. C. McRobert, Crown Counsel.

Mr Edwards said this morning that in the course of the trial of the case, he had asked for guidance from the Court on some occasions, but he did not get any assistance.

On one occasion, he said, he had asked for an adjournment because he had been on his feet for a long time and was exhausted. On the record, it was stated that his application was granted, but actually it was refused at first.

Mr Edwards said that only when he objected vigorously and asked that his objection be recorded, did the Judge relent and grant an adjournment.

On the other hand, he continued, when Crown Counsel asked for an early luncheon adjournment the previous day, it was granted to him straightforwardly.

#### Quoted Authorities

Mr Edwards said that during the case he had quoted from many legal authorities to show that the Colonial Secretary, even a Minister of State, could be brought into Court for examination.

### In Saturday's Mail

The China Mail's 20 pages tomorrow will be packed with the world's best features, pictures and news. Among the feature stories will be:

★ Who's Wire Tapping in New York by CHRISTOPHER DOBSON.

★ The Art of Making Money by ALEXANDER THOMSON.

★ Secret Terror in Paris by SYDNEY SMITH.

And News from Britain by Lee Armour, Up Country by Thurlow Orrig, A Machine that Writes Music by Janet McLean and Putting on Weight? by Cedric Carne.

### HOPPERS DEVASTATE VALLEY

Chico, Calif., June 20. A horde of voracious grasshoppers invaded the fertile Sacramento Valley today, devouring fruits, vegetables and range grasses in the worst infestation in 20 years.

Butte County agriculture agent Fred Platt warned that crop damage in Butte, Tehama and Yuba counties could reach 10 million dollars if the hoppers were not checked.

Already, he said, damage exceeds one million dollars.

Cattlemen, he said, have had to buy feed for their animals.

A spray plane covered a 19,000-acre area with poison yesterday, but the grasshoppers were spreading over a much larger area than the plane could cover. — United Press.

### One Killed In Train Crash

Rio de Janeiro, June 20.

One person was killed in a train crash today near Casimiro de Abreu, between Rio de Janeiro and Campos.

Two carriages were completely destroyed when an express train, which had left the platform, jumped the track. The reason for the accident was not known. The train was bound for Campos, about 100 miles northeast of here. — United Press.

## CASE RESUMES

### UN TO REARM FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA

### Countering Red Build-Up

Washington, June 21.

THE United Nations Command served notice on the Communists in Korea today that it no longer would abide by a provision in the 1953 armistice barring increases in military strength by either side.

The United States and its allies nullified the 1953 Korean armistice agreement and said they would move immediately to counter an "enormous" Red built-up in North Korea.

### Boy Falls 72 Feet Into Man's Arms

#### In Person

Singapore, June 20.

A three-year-old Chinese boy fell 72 feet from a window of the General Hospital yesterday into the arms of a man.

Wong Chin-tong, a patient in the 3rd floor of the hospital, was already on the window sill when a North Indian clerk, Narajan Singh, saw him perched dangerously on the edge. Singh rushed forward with his arms outstretched and caught the boy as he came hurtling down.

The child escaped with minor injuries but was immediately X-rayed to find out if he had any internal injuries. — United Press.

The reactor will enable essential research to be made on the testing of material under the effects of irradiation. — China Mail Special.

### Danes Buy UK Reactor

London, June 20.

The Danish Atomic Energy Commission has placed an order, believed to be worth about £1,000,000 with a British engineering firm for material testing atomic reactor.

The reactor will go only to US forces at first, but officials said consideration also was being given to re-equipping the US and South Korean forces. Neither the US nor South Korean forces will get any atomic weapons or guided missiles, for the present at least.

#### FLAGRANT DISREGARD

The Defence Department said the action was "necessitated by the flagrant and long-continued disregard by the Communist side of its obligations" under the four-year-old armistice agreement.

The announcement came as the North Korean Communists were asked to attend a showdown meeting in the "true" city of Panmunjom in the neutral zone separating North and South Korea. They will receive formal notice of the UN action then.

Under the terms of the armistice agreement, neither side was supposed to bring new fighting equipment into Korea except to replace worn-out weapons and materials. Such equipment was supposed to be of the same effectiveness and type as the original material. — United Press.

### US Relaxes Controls On Exports To Communist Europe

Washington, June 20.

The United States today announced a further 200 non-strategic commodities which may now be shipped to the Soviet Union and other European Communist states without the necessity of filing individual export licence applications.

The Department of Commerce announced that this was in line with the policy to ease export controls "wherever consistent with the national interest."

The announcement emphasised that the action "in no way reflects a change in the policy of barring strategic goods to the Soviet bloc or in any way affects the complete embargo against shipments to China."

In another action effective on June 27, the Department's Bureau of Foreign Commerce removed several items from the general licence list.

The commodities which now require individual export licence for Communist-group countries include: rubber and rubberised pieces, goods and rubberised goods; umbrellas and miscellaneous cotton, textile and drug products.

### Government Appoints Doctors

Thirty-one doctors, including seven women, have been appointed medical officers of the Hong Kong Government on agreements for three years, it was announced in the Government Gazette this morning.

A Government spokesman said that these doctors, who do not have British medical degrees, have been employed by government on a temporary basis for the past four years and having proved satisfactory, have been given three-year contracts.

The Gazette also announced the appointment of 16 doctors including 10 women, as medical officers on temporary month-to-month terms.

## RUSSIANS DEMAND REMOVAL OF BRITISH OFFICER

From HUGH POND

London, June 20. THE Russians have demanded that a senior British officer be removed from his post. He is Brigadier Charles Wynn-Pope, chief of Britain's Military Mission in East Germany.

The reasons given—by the Soviet Commander-in-Chief, Marshal Grechko—are so trivial that British Army chiefs are asking, "Is this the start of more Russian pin-pricking and abuse?"

The 52-year-old brigadier is charged by Russians with violation of traffic regulations and rudeness and unscreamy behaviour towards Russian officials.

#### CHARGES REJECTED

A letter from Marshal Grechko was sent to General Sir Dudley Ward, British Commander-in-Chief, Germany. He replied immediately, rejecting the charges because no convincing evidence had been produced.

General Ward said he retains full confidence in the brigadier whose conduct has always been correct despite considerable protection by Russian authorities for a long time.

General Ward is according to Russian request, because in the circumstances the brigadier will not be able to carry out his duties satisfactorily.

No date has been given to Russia for the withdrawal of Brigadier Wynn-Pope. The British Army will do it when it is convenient.

#### American Detained By Cairo Police

Cairo, June 20. Police at Cairo airport today detained Mr Charles Arthur Muses, 38, an American, because, they alleged, he was planning to leave Egypt with valuable Egyptian antiquities. — Reuters.

### WIDOW FILES SUIT FOR WRONGFUL DEATH OF HUSBAND

San Francisco, June 20. The widow of a Stanford cancer researcher who took his life rather than appear before the House Subcommittee on Un-American Activities today filed a \$500,000 "wrongful death" suit against members of the Committee.

Mrs Barbara Sherwood filed suit in San Francisco Superior Court naming Subcommittee Chairman Francis E. Walter and members Ralph J. McIntosh and Gordon D.

Schreier, served notice of the suit, said, "I will ignore it. To act otherwise would be admitting their right to sue." — United Press.



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# RUSSIA LESS UNCOMPROMISING

## Macmillan Warns Against Casting Away Protection

London, June 20.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Harold Macmillan, declared today that with Britain joining the ranks of the H-bomb powers, Russia's attitude toward disarmament looked "less uncompromising than before".

The Prime Minister's statement was made in a letter to the Conservative Association in his home constituency of Bromley.

"It is perhaps not without interest," said Mr. Macmillan, "that at the very time Britain, alongside her American allies, is seeking a nuclear power, the Russian attitude toward disarmament appears to be less uncompromising than before."

### Every Effort

The Prime Minister went on to say, however: "Every effort should be made along the lines of proposals now before the Disarmament sub-Committee designed to lead to a genuine measure of disarmament, both

of men and of weapons, now and old. "This is the only true basis for reducing tension and building confidence throughout the world," said Mr. Macmillan.

The British leader warned that before Britain cast away its protection, the protection of the nuclear deterrent, "It is our duty to see what would be the result in the balance of conventional power."

Russian forces facing Europe greatly outnumber those of the West, Mr. Macmillan said, and "therefore to give up the bomb without comprehensive disarmament by air, land and sea would make conventional war more likely and more prolonged."

### Not Abandon

"We must not abandon the nuclear protection which has preserved the peace for ten years and more, without making ourselves to hopeless inferiority on the conventional basis."

Mr. Macmillan's statements made even clearer Britain's position that she would not accept nuclear disarmament without accompanying assurances that a balance in conventional military force would be maintained.

Only recently Britain revamped her defences to lean heavily on the "nuclear deterrent" while she cuts manpower and naval power.

The Prime Minister expressed his own spark of optimism when he said that he was "not without hope that some solution will be found" in the current disarmament talks.

### DOUBTFUL

The paper said it was doubtful there was any treasure aboard because the ship was sunk while trying to put to sea after falling to water its cargo of mixed goods from Mexico for gold and silver from Japan.

Dardo Illustrado also questioned the name of the ship reported from Tokyo as "Madre de Deus" (Mother of God).

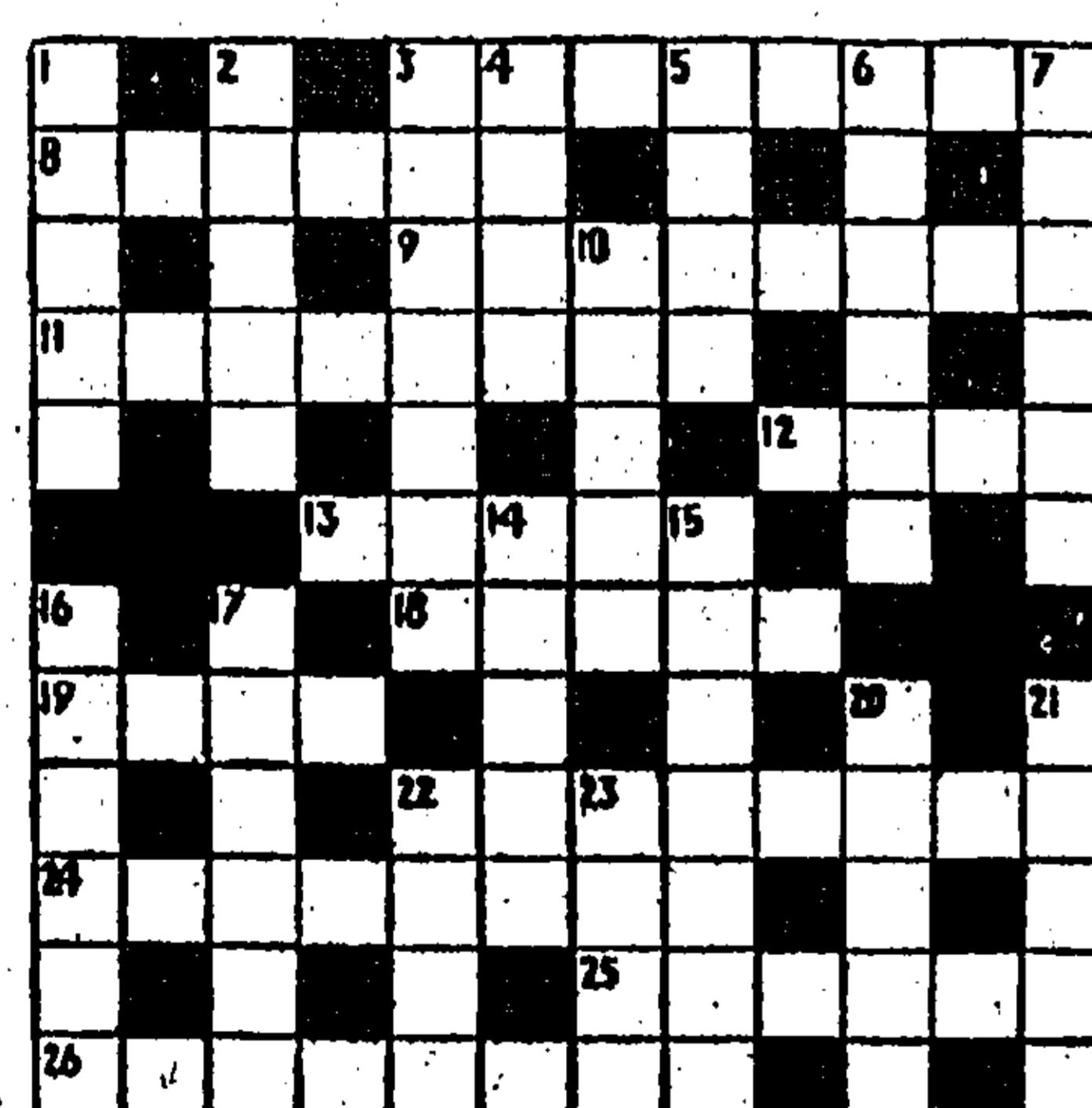
It said the ship that went down in that area was the "Nossa Senhora da Graça" (Our Lady of Grace), and that it was sunk early in 1910 after a battle in which hundreds of Japanese were killed.

### Turns Down

another action, Mr. Macmillan turned down a Liberal Party request for publication of latest information on the "hazards" of Britain's H-bomb tests. He said, however, such a report was under consideration.

He also told the Liberal Party that the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Selwyn Lloyd, in the view that much of the home opposition against Britain's H-bomb tests was inspired by Portuguese divers or by a Japanese financed by Portugal.

## A British Crossword Puzzle



**ACROSS**

- Doesn't exactly peak (8)
- Hang around in Berlin, Germany (6)
- Cooler or warmer (8)
- Made like a crossword puzzle (9)
- Land in the sea really (4)
- Determined not to be blown up (6)
- Had the nerve to tie an knot? (5)
- Cricket term of the past? (4)
- Keep him till last? (6)
- Snugly down in a feather-bed? (6)
- Without caution (8)

**DOWN**

- Taken up for being lazy? (5)
- In Yemen he's hostile (5)
- Tried me as deserved (7)
- Send to an exam (4)
- Slip a shilling to a child (6)
- A whole word (6)
- Make the butter go round? (6)
- Freed from delay (5)
- It's not AI that may come up to scratch (6)
- Goes back and gives up again? (7)
- Are such comic a scream? (6)
- Full of excitement (6)
- Are they taken by bit players? (5)
- More than an even number (8)
- Less than a million in Roman numerals (4)
- Send for rooms (4)

**THURSDAY'S CROSSWORD**—Across: 2 Handicap, 7 Ratio, 8 Thick-set, 10 Par-sec, 13 Similar, 15 Info, 17 Tenders, 18 Alloys, 20 L-cue, 21 Rosetta, 22 Resist, 27 Undulate 28 Micro, 29 (N) Express, 30-31 Troops (rev.), 32 Sis's Hotel, 4-Duct, 6-Coolie, 8-Pathos, 9-Heifer, 11-Apple, 15-Philes, 16-Street, 18-Idles, 19-PROPS, 20-All-Ups, 22-Landscap, 23-Scam, 24-Team, 25-Minus, 26-Deeps.

## EX-NUN NOW MOTHER-TO-BE

### Fourteen Years In A Convent

London.

For 14 years this baroness's daughter was a nun—now she is a happily-married British housewife who awaits her first child next September.

In the convent where she lived until the Pope annulled her vows she was known as Sister St. John. She cannot be identified beyond this, to avoid bringing distress to her well-known family or the nuns in the convent.

Tall, blonde and 39, she lives with her businessman husband in a cottage near Chartwell, Kent.

It is the first real home she has known since she discarded her nun's black veil in September, 1953.

### BLACK VEIL

Says she: "When the war began I drove an ambulance. But after much thought I entered the convent of a missionary order a year later, I took a year of poverty, chastity and obedience. Then I left the nun's black veil.

"In the convent I worked mainly on mission propaganda. I illustrated my writings with watercolour paintings. I also travelled a lot to other convents. I was very, very happy."

"I gladly renewed my vows after the first three years. Then again after I had been a nun for eight-and-a-half years. Two years after the war I was transferred to a convent in



France. I went to school in France, so I speak French very well.

"It was while I was at this convent that I came to the startling conclusion that everyone around me was so good while I was not really good at all. I consulted the Mother Superior.

"Three weeks later I was told that the Pope had granted me special dispensation from my vows. I was free to leave."

"Of life in the outside world, she says: "I was appalled by prices. They were treble what they had been when I last went shopping. New words in common usage were also puzzling. I remember I couldn't think what the word 'detergent' meant. Now I feel my destiny has been fulfilled."—Express Service.

## US Senate STANDING OVATION FOR KISHI

Washington, June 20.

The Japanese Prime Minister, Mr. Nobusuke Kishi, was introduced to members of the US Senate as "a loyal and great friend of the people of the United States" when he addressed them today.

Mr. Kishi was introduced by Vice-President Richard Nixon in his capacity as President of the Senate.

The Japanese Prime Minister was greeted with a standing ovation as he rose to speak.

Mr. Kishi spoke rapidly in Japanese with an interpreter translating at intervals.

### GALLERIES FULL

The diplomatic gallery was filled with Japanese officials and the public galleries were packed as Mr. Kishi entered the Chamber, escorted by Senator Lyndon Johnson (Democrat, Texas), the Democratic majority leader; Senator William Knowland (Republican, California), the Republican minority leader; and two leading members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senators Alexander Wiley (Republican, Wisconsin) and William Fullbright (Democrat, Arkansas).

Mr. Kishi's speech was interrupted seven times by applause. One of the loudest bursts of clapping greeted his statement that democracy was the only way to serve the welfare of mankind.

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### BURIED

The skipper and crew members of the ship kept the news from little Kee-miew. He was transferred from the deck to a first-class cabin. Sleeping in his comfortable cabin, Kee-miew did not see the crew and other passengers assembling on deck that night and did not hear the splash as his mother's shrouded body struck the water.

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### Egyptian Trial

**Death Sentence Endorsed**

Cairo, June 20.

The Grand Mufti, Sheikh Hassan Maamoun, today endorsed the death sentence against an Egyptian accused with 20 others, including four Britons, of spying.

The death sentence, recommended by the Court, had to be confirmed by the Mufti. But the Mufti's decision meant that a similar sentence would not be passed on the British defendants, Court circles said.

### DEFERRED

Sentenced on the four—James Zarb, James Swinburn, Charles Piltuck and John Stanley—was deferred when the Court concluded its hearings earlier this month.

The Court will meet on Saturday to pronounce the death penalty and pass judgment on the other defendants.

The Grand Mufti submitted a report saying that Islamic law sanctioned the penalty.

Egyptian law calls for a death penalty during wartime and Egypt claims a state of war with Israel exists.—United Press.

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By JACK V. FOX

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President Eisenhower marked those facts in his message of congratulations to United Press on its anniversary. He hailed a free press as one of the strongest assets of our way of life and said: "By sending and receiving a steady stream of factual news from around the world, it performs the valuable service of participating in the general world knowledge of the truth and by so doing strengthens the free world and its peoples."

### Anonymity

Such recognition is a cause for pride among Unipressers. They work in a vast cloud of anonymity for the most part and one of the curses they must bear is the layman's too frequent question: "Yes, but what newspaper do you work for?"

The fact is that newspaper can gather all the world's news. That can be appreciated only through the intricate web of clinics, the network of communications—400,000 miles of UP leased lines in the US alone.

United Press over the years has come to be known as the most personalised of the news agencies and usually the most hotly competitive. The nervous systems of 4,000 staffers are so enmeshed that a bullet from Hongkong makes men jump from Miami to Seattle.

The spirit is unique. It is fascinating to watch a former UP man join a cab company with UP. Within minutes you will find him using the pronoun "we" as if he had never left—and, in a way, he never does.

On its anniversary, United Press received congratulations and greetings from around the globe. Pope Pius XII sent his felicitations as did leaders of nations of Europe and Asia.

### All-Time High

The UP went into its second 50 years with clients, revenue and rate of growth all at an all-time high.

President of United Press today is Frank H. Bartholomew. Like all UP chief executives, he is basically a newsman with experience ranging from the great California earthquake of 1923 to World War II correspondent in the Pacific and reporter at the A-bomb drop at Bikini.

Bartholomew, in an anniversary statement, pledged the UP to experiment with new mechanical and electronic systems and approaches which will help solve the increasing problems and complexities of newspaper publishing.

"But the principal function is unchanged—to provide the people with the best possible coverage of the world in which we live," he said. "The news will have to be gathered and put in shape by trained men and women who comprise our staff."—United Press.

Teams streamed down Kee-miew's cheeks when the freighter docked here. His mother was not among those passengers who disembarked. He finally started crying and kept yelling: "Where is my mamie? Surely she must be better now."

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Al�ion, June 20.  
Four Al�ion nationalists convicted on charges of treason, including the president of the Hungarian People's Committee of War, were sentenced to death yesterday. The trial, which was held in secret, was adjourned until June 25.

# DIEFENBAKER

## Canada's Next Premier

DIEFENBAKER is small and wiry, as fast on his feet as a bantamweight boxer.

His iron grey hair kinks tightly over a high forehead. His eyes are sharp and cutting, bright blue or steel grey as his mood changes.

He is anything but a High Tory. In the hot Prairie sun he campaigns tirelessly in his shirt sleeves, informally friendly, but no back-slapper. Words are precious to him. He never wastes them, though he will give you a clear-cut rapid-fire explanation of any political problem at the drop of a hat.

In a sense he is the typical Canadian — far more so than avuncular Louis St Laurent. Diefenbaker takes it for granted that every man of voting age is in some important sense his equal. He would never pat anyone on the head.

### Not Afraid

He does not condescend to the voter and he is not afraid to launch into a detailed discussion of the workings of national finance before an audience whose only interest seems to be in the size of the baby bonus. The fact that audiences take it and like it and come back for more surprises some politicians. Diefenbaker's faith includes the unshakable belief that the voter who is treated like an adult will respond like one.

History is not, obviously, on his side. But he would regard the Canadian federal election which has made him Prime Minister — if only precariously and perhaps momentarily — as proof.

Politically, Diefenbaker is a curious phenomenon, part conservative, part radical — a success in an almost solidly Socialist province.

Saskatchewan, the heart of the Great Plains, is his home, physically and emotionally. He saw it turn from the lush green granary of the continent into a burning, dusty, desert. He knows the suffering that the oddities of weather combined with the vagaries of the international wheat market can bring.

As a result, he believes that there are limits to the ability of men to withstand the strains of a social system based solely upon rugged individualism.

He is for social security measures, for government aid over the most basic sorts of production.

### Civil Rights

His quarrel with the Liberal Party in Canada has been, at bottom, over just two issues, civil rights and foreign policy. And the second of these is a relatively new interest.

Time and again he has expressed alarm over what is called "government by Order-in-Council" — a neat trick for by-passing parliament. The Liberal Party over the last 20 years has greatly diminished the day-to-day powers of parliament by acting by administrative order without even consulting the legislators. Of course, sooner or later, these measures must be approved by the House of Commons and the Senate.

But the government just tends to put them up for approval in job lots and steam-rolls them through with little debate. An overwhelming majority has made any sort of royal assent impossible.



by Les Armour

Diefenbaker's contention has strong—and much less done been that this process has greatly diminished the individual's control over his government. Letters to your M.P. are not much good if the deer is much more likely to head for the cities and look for job heard about it.

All this, he believes, has been a leading the country toward a gentle and paternal but nevertheless pernicious dictatorship.

The major issue in foreign policy has been the simplest and seemingly rather naive one that the government has been busy selling the country out to the Americans. The issue, unfortunately, has mushroomed into a rather juvenile sort of "Yankee banting" and it can be said that Diefenbaker has done very little to call attention to its dangerous aspects.

Underlying it, however, is the seesaw of emotional battles between the country's British tradition and the inevitable cultural and economic influence of the United States.

Diefenbaker, though he is of Dutch extraction, is like his party, an unwavering supporter of the British tradition. In part, this is the deep, emotional pull of rural Canada where men still battle daily and desperately with nature. To them, the British concept of the dignity and rights of man is something deeply ingrained. In contrast, American culture seems cheap, commercial, tawdry and ultimately, degrading.

### Bulwark

They look to Britain as a bulwark against it. The situation is complicated because the Britain to which they look is not necessarily the real Britain of today. Their Britain is the Britain of the men who salled forth and built empires, the Britain of men who had an unquestioning faith and an absolute standard of values.

The Britain of 1957 is much less sure of itself, much less

But John Diefenbaker is a determined man.

# It takes a woman to put men right on clothes

ANNE SCOTT-JAMES sums up the trend of male fashion

ARE you a smart man-about-town or a spiv? It's a bumper season for men's fashion, with the men's shops full of new clothes, accessories, and fabrics, some very beautiful, and some repulsive.

*All the more important to know your way around. To be able to recognise the fine hairline that divides the well-dressed man from the common cad.*

I'm not thinking of such obvious errors as wearing a hand-painted tie with a pattern of the Folies Bergere. It is the subtle points, like the spacing of your coat buttons, which betray you.

I have been talking to stripes, collars cut away sharply, and not too narrow. Men — eligible bachelors, Ties must be dark, with country gentlemen, guardrobes — sorting out the true stuff of fashion from the dross. Here are the key pointers, which I promise are authentic.

THE NEW SILHOUETTE is long and slim. It descends from the Edwardian line, but discards the Teddy Boy details.

*It's Correct to wear narrow trousers, 16 in. to 17 in. at the hem, with raised seams; slightly cutaway jackets with a pattern of padding in the shoulders and deeper back splits — 12 in. is the depth for a single split, 9 1/2 in. if you prefer two.*

★ ★ ★

Buttons must be 3 1/4 in. apart from centre to centre.

Pocket flaps are optional.

*It's Caddish to wear very tight trousers, cuffs on your sleeves, or a velvet collar on anything except a covert coat.*

THE BIGGEST NEWS is in waistcoats, but goodness, you have to be careful. The main story is the new Postbox Waistcoat, matching your suit, a very long style of waistcoat, single-breasted, with large pockets.

*It's Correct to wear a broad waistcoat with tails, a hunting yellow waistcoat in the country.*

*It's Caddish to wear a coloured waistcoat in town. About waistcoat lapels, opinion is divided. But I said flatly that he will pull out and force another election when he sees his chance.*

Then get a narrow tie or two, two good shirts which need ironing (what is she there for?) and a pair of chukka boots, and you'll

SHIRTS AND TIES must be classic. Shirts in simple



### TEN POINTS TO NOTE

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### IDEAS....

on clothes

FROM news to people — for it's not so much what you wear as how you wear it.

Here are personal ideas from three of Britain's Best-Dressed Men.

• THE DUKE OF BEAUFORT says: "Blue is my colour; I like a blue suit in town with a blue shirt and a stiff white collar. And a blue velvet coat in the evening is my one

extravagance."

"For the country, I like my oldest tweed suit with a check cap."

• THE DUKE OF BEDFORD says: "I am a conservative English dresser, but I like Italian accessories, especially

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## This Funny World



"What's the matter—you too good to drink with us?"

• BY • THE • WAY •  
by Beachcomber

**A FITZWILLIAM - SQUARE**  
A linker once told me that if you got out to walk round the world and kept on turning to the left, you would end up in the sea.

The reason for this, he said, was that the earth does not go round the sun fast enough but it was recalled to me the other day by a man who said that if you could live on a shooting star you would find that the star was stationary, and that it was moving. If that is so, life on meteor must be pretty dull.

**Springtime**

THEY say that the Ministry of Works is much troubled by "hearts and love messages cut in the stonework of the porch" of one of the entrances to the Grandmother of Parliaments. It must be annoying for an M.P. who is hurrying into the House to support a Bill for the Protection of Wild Stockbrokers to be confronted by "Dick Loves Agatha" carved under a heart transcribed by an arrow. The enterprising Captain Fouleneough once wrote in India to a lady from him, "We don't see why we should be less glamorous than a lady ping-pong referee," said a mikerette yesterday.

**Clever little thing**  
She held his face between her hands, lit his cigarette and her own, and took the letter from him.

(From a novel.)

**"I** F you have any more hands to spare," he yawned, "you might boil an egg or something."

Still holding that dear face between her hands she probably pinched both his arm playfully and with mocking seriousness.

**TARGET**

**L N E**  
**I D E**  
**M F I**

How many words of four letters or more can you make out of the letters in the square on the left? The letters in the square and word, the letters in the small squares may be used once only. Each word must contain the large letter in the centre square. There must be at least one nine-letter word in the list. No plurals, foreign words, or proper nouns.

**TODAY'S TARGET** is 26 words, 100 letters. Very good words, excellent. Solution tomorrow.

**YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION** is 26 words, 100 letters. Very good words, excellent. Solution tomorrow.

**Shorts for mikerettes?**  
M J U S T I C E COCKLE-MCARROT'S recent reference to women billiard markers has revived the old controversy about whether they should wear shorts. Their activities in the saloon are not particularly athletic, save when there is a

**YOUR BIRTHDAY ... By STELLA**

FRIDAY, JUNE 21

BORN today, you are a decisive, emphatic individual. You know your own mind right off. You stand by it. Sometimes you are a little too blunt for diplomacy—and, a little too critical for friendliness. But, once in a while, your intentions are so constructive and in the long run you are proved quite correct in your assumptions. Your clear foresight is your strength, and you are forgiven for any lack of tact.

You have been given several talents which are original and inventive, and have a high power of concentration. When you decide on a job, you go at it wholeheartedly. It is possible that you will become successful in more than a single career during your lifetime.

You women, especially, are attracted to the stage and might prove most successful in any one of a number of theatrical careers, even though you will never be completely content with a career alone, for you are too much of a homebody to want to leave your home to manage, to love and to cherish. You are loving and devoted and will be greatly beloved by all.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 22**

**CANCER** (June 22-July 23)—If you are clear on all details of a project, you are much more likely to succeed at this time.

**LEO** (July 24-Aug. 23)—The ultimate results of today's efforts are destined to last a long time upon the efforts you exert.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Take things a little more easily and on the whole, and build up your energy for future efforts.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—If you stay in command of the situation, you will be sure to can away your opinions in the wrong direction.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)—Lucky you! You have a lot of extracurricular events which could impede progress toward your true goals.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—Rise above confusion and steer your pathway directly toward your major objective without hesitation.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—If you are wise and confident of your aims, then all should go well with you.

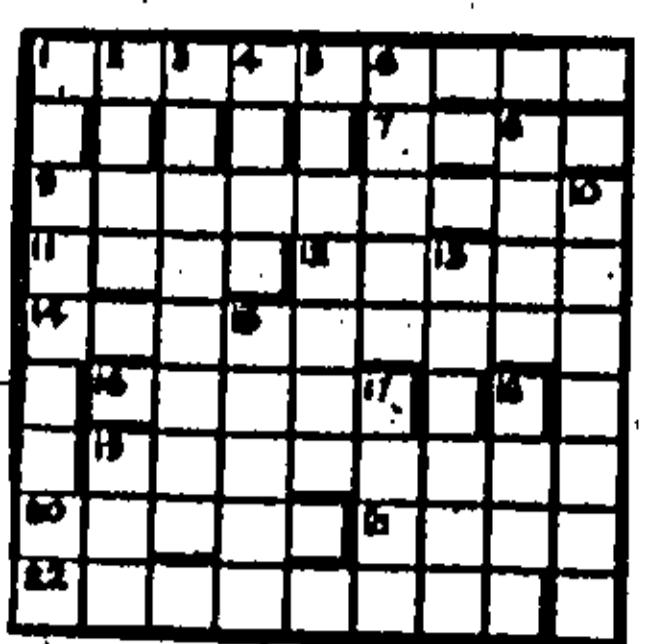
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21-Feb. 18)—Mourning and evading are like the hours to get results. Be on the lookout for false or deceptive promises in the early afternoon.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-Mar. 20)—Be a leader of your capabilities and nothing can deter you. Be careful, however, not to answer in words.

**ARIES** (Mar. 21-Apr. 19)—If matters are not absolutely clear, postpone any important decision until you can get a second opinion.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 20-May 20)—Today can bring the results of any

## CROSSWORD



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2. Geek a partner? (4)  
3. Evil is cut (mag.) (10)  
4. —— the puzzle your compiler speaking (1, 8)  
5. Cap a different on the table (10)  
6. Painter's name? (8)  
7. It appears twice in the French small talk. (4)  
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# SURREY LIKELY TO STRETCH THEIR LEAD TO NEARLY 30 POINTS

## 14 Points Collected From Gloucestershire

London, June 20.

**Surrey, Champions for the past five seasons, won their current County Cricket Championship match in little more than a day and a half and then sat back to watch their nearest rivals struggling for points.**

Already 20 ahead of Derbyshire, Surrey with 14 today could increase their lead considerably when the present series ends tomorrow, as Derbyshire, Northamptonshire and Middlesex, nearest to them, do not at the moment look like being concerned with an outright win.

Bernard Constable (107 in three and a quarter hours) and Ken Barrington (124 not out in an hour less) carried on their third-wicket partnership this morning and made it worth 160 before Constable fell.

Both hit their first centuries of the season and Barrington's included four sixes and a dozen fours. Then Alec Bedser, the former England team bowler, mowed down a youthful Gloucestershire team which included seven players with little first class experience, taking six for 49. Tony Lock adding his quota of three for 33.

Stuart Leary, the South African who plays football for Charlton and cricket for Kent, put up another good performance with 74 not out, but it did not save his county from first innings arrears after Warwickshire had declared.

David Stripp, playing in his first Championship match of the season, hit a bright 32 (two sixes and two fours), his best in first class cricket, helping Sussex to declare just after passing 200 for the loss of half their wickets. But Hampshire were heading for a first innings lead at the close today.

### RESULTS

**At the Oval, Surrey beat Gloucestershire by an innings and 149 runs. Gloucestershire 104 (Bedser six for 49). Surrey 321 for three declared (Constable 107, Barrington 124 not out). (Surrey 74 not out).**

**At Warwickshire 263 for eight declared and 103 for five. Kent 192 (Leary 74 not out).**

**At Harrow, Yorkshire 361 for seven declared (White 14 points). Gloucestershire 334 for six (Montague 125 not out, Andrew 72 not out).**

**At Nottingham, Middlesex 348 for eight declared and 33 for no wicket. Nottinghamshire 394 for nine declared (Simpson 113, Poole 65 not out).**

**At Bath, Somerset 200, Essex 184 and 240 for six (Smith 53, Rutherford 60 not out).**

**At Portsmouth, Sussex 201 for four declared (Simpson 53). Hampshire 152 for two (Middleton 50, Ingledby-Mackenzie 53 not out).**

**At Chesterfield, Derbyshire 363 for eight declared (Gloucester 340 for nine (Parkhouse 16). —Reuter.**

### THE TEST MATCH

## ALL 14 WICKETS FALL TO THE SPECIALISTS IN PACE AND SWING

London, June 20.

With Trevor Bailey celebrating his 50th Test appearance by taking seven West Indies wickets for 44 runs, and Peter Richardson and Colin Cowdrey sharing a stand of 95, England finished the opening day of the Second Test match at Lord's comfortably placed, seven runs ahead for the loss of only four wickets.

Once again the Lord's pitch proved ideal for fast bowlers. During a day when few batsmen looked happy, all 14 wickets that fell were shared by the men who specialise in pace and swing.

Two England stars, Peter May, the captain, and Tom Graveney, went for ducks, but after these shocks came the big stand in which Richardson and Cowdrey took control.

A clear blue sky, powerful sunburned by a cool breeze and a fast, lively pitch provided admirable conditions for the fast bowlers and the West Indies were in trouble from the very start of the game with Bailey doing all the deadly work.

In an hour the Essex fast bowler removed Weeks, Worrell, Goddard, Smith and Gilchrist before Trueman completed the demolition by shattering Ramdin's wicket.

Thus the West Indians were all out for 127—59 less than England's total on the first day of the inaugural Test at Edgbaston.

But the "Calypso Boys" were undismayed and soon hit back at England. Don Smith, the Sussex left-hander, who was preferred to Brian Close as Richardson's opening partner, was uneasy on his Test debut. He had some uncomfortable moments when facing Worrell's medium-fast swing and, after making eight, covered his stumps and was leg before.

The crowd of 28,000 then warmly welcomed Tom Graveney, the English "problem boy", who

shines so much when he is not playing for England. He was cheered all the way to the crease but his stay was to be extremely brief.

### TWO DUCKS

Moving forward to a ball from Gilchrist, he played outside a wicket, knifed and was leg before out for a "duck". Peter May, the England captain, hero of the first Test with his 295 not out, was to suffer the same fate.

He made an indeterminate stroke to another ball from fast bowler Gilchrist, possibly changed his mind and Kailash, standing back, gratefully took the catch.

With three wickets down at 34, England had made a worse start than their opponents, but Peter Richardson and Colin Cowdrey, former England opening pair, retrieved the position with a profitable fourth wicket partnership.

However, five minutes before the close, Richardson fell to Gilchrist after making 70 out of 120 in 130 minutes. —France-Press.

## Lawn Bowls Teams

The following players have been selected to represent their respective clubs in the Lawn Bowls League games over the week-end:

1st Division "Blue" (Away) v KCC: J. M. A. Ramjan, S. Buckley, J. Hooper, A. R. Minns (Skip); D. M. Shar, A. R. Minns (Skip); A. M. Ramjan (Skip); M. I. Kizmek, A. M. Omar, S. Yusuf, A. Kitchell (Skip).

1st Division "Red" (Home) v Regent: G. C. Lee, A. R. Minns (Skip); A. M. Kadir, A. B. Kitchell, A. H. Sezmi, A. M. Alibek (Skip); S. O. Idris, A. Khan, S. M. Ramjan, M. Y. Adni (Skip).

2nd Division (Home) v Stanley Club: Y. Aladin, M. Samy, M. A. Suleiman, A. R. Minns (Skip); C. Karimdin, H. Russell, A. M. Wahab Jr., S. H. Khan (Skip); K. M. Hassan, I. bin Kitchell, M. A. Rahim, A. M. Wahab (Skip).

KCC

1st Division (Home) v HCC: B. S. Doe, M. J. Dhecha, J. Chibbi, T. E. Baker (Skip); J. Tang, C. I. Stapleton, P. R. Kermode, W. Horn (Skip); C. D. Symons, A. M. Alves, J. Duffield (Skip).

2nd Division (Home) v KDC: B. A. Shinde, A. M. Kadir, C. Kitchell, P. H. White, G. Wong (Skip); Robert Tsui, F. P. H. White, R. S. Capell (Skip); C. Evans, J. da Silva, H. Phillips, G. Mattock (Skip).

3rd Division (Home) v HKPSA: E. C. Kew, D. Thomson, A. B. White, J. A. White (Skip); P. Wood, J. M. Edwards, W. Edwards, G. Ladd (Skip); G. Hempey, R. Brown, S. Smith, R. J. Taylor (Skip).

Matched to be played Saturday June 22nd.

Mercole

1st Division (Home) vs Indian Recreation Club "Gold": F. X. M. da Silva, M. M. Gordon, J. J. Oliveira, R. G. Lopez (Skip); P. Pereira Jr., C. E. Paez, J. F. V. Ribeiro, C. C. Pereira (Skip); J. A. da Luz, A. Lopez (Skip); J. Oliveira, A. Lopez (Skip); J. Oliveira, F. P. Pereira (Skip).

2nd Division (Home) vs Hongkong Football Club: L. M. Remedios, A. L. Wong (Skip); Robert Tsui, F. G. Lui (Skip); S. E. Suzuki, F. G. M. Baptista, C. P. Basto, L. S. da Silva (Skip); S. Silvero, V. A. Sequira, A. Omro, A. A. Oliveira (Skip).

3rd Division (Home) vs Kowlun Bowling Green Club: C. M. Xavier, A. A. Marques, A. P. Roza (Skip); F. R. Souza, F. N. da Luz, F. X. Alves, F. L. Correa (Skip); A. P. Xavier, J. V. Sequira, A. A. Rosa, A. B. Marques (Skip).

4th Division (Home) vs Craggengower Cricket Club on Wednesday: A. M. Xavier, B. D. McCreary, A. V. Venkateswara, P. Rozario (Skip); F. R. Souza, F. N. da Luz, F. X. Alves, F. L. Correa (Skip); A. P. Xavier, F. A. Rosa, A. B. Marques (Skip).

CCG

2nd Division (Home) vs USRC: L. M. Silva, H. K. Pava, R. O. Baker, M. Q. Wong (Skip); G. F. Santos, P. R. Sohna, P. P. O. Marques (Skip); P. R. Baker, A. K. Imaiai, T. A. Leonard, J. W. Leonard (Skip).

3rd Division (Home) vs P.R.C.C.

Y. Wong, Z. Yan (Skip); L. M. Souza, G. E. Royle, W. M. Souza, A. F. Ferreira (Skip); R. D. da Silva, J. A. da Luz, F. R. da Silva, Y. A. Rane (Skip).

HKPSA

2nd Division (Home) v CCC: B. van Zuiden, A. K. B. Edwards, A. Edwards, G. D. S. Agnew (Skip); G. Walker, R. H. Noble, T. Curry, D. Edwards (Skip); J. H. Walker, R. H. Edwards, H. Hart, Baker, R. M. Hetherington (Skip).

Ladies' 1st Division (Away) v KDC: —, Mrs. P. Edwards, Mrs. M. Hetherington (Skip).

HKCC

2nd Division (Home) v HKCC: H. Yu, M. Taylor, P. W. Metcalf, P. W. Hollands (Skip); J. Sawford, P. L. Edwards, G. C. T. Edwards (Skip); M. Williamson, H. M. Bryan, T. Poynton, C. Pope (Skip).

3rd Division (Away) v HKCC: G. Edwards, J. H. Walker, T. H. Hetherington (Skip).

Ladies' 2nd Division (Home) v KDC: —, Mrs. E. Edwards, Mrs. M. Hetherington (Skip).

HKFC

2nd Division (Home) v HKFC: H. Black, K. Summers, K. Forrow, H. Black, F. Shields (Skip); T. V. C. Edwards, R. H. Edwards, T. H. Edwards (Skip); K. A. Baker (Skip); R. A. Jones, T. T. Harley, T. Dyer, B. I. Beckton (Skip).

3rd Division (Home) v HKFC: G. Edwards, C. G. Edwards, D. Edwards, W. W. McDonald (Skip); T. Harris, J. H. Rice, H. Holgate, M. N. Baker (Skip); A. Boyd Cowan, E. M. Baker (Skip).

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HKCC

3rd Division (Home) v HKCC: A. Tarbuck, D. de Rome, W. M. McFarlane, W. Stoker (Skip); D. D. Doherty, E. Poulsen (Skip); P. P. Williams, R. F. Gregory, F. A. Golding, L. G. Gurn (Skip).

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4th Division (Home) v HKCC: A. Tarbuck, D. de Rome, W. M. McFarlane, W. Stoker (Skip); D. D. Doherty, E. Poulsen (Skip); P. P. Williams, R. F. Gregory, F. A. Golding, L. G. Gurn (Skip).

## JUNIOR CHAMPION



### London Lawn Tennis Tourney Results

London, June 20. Results of matches played in the London Lawn Tennis Championships here today:

#### Men's Singles (Quarter-Finals)

T. Fancutt (South Africa) beat M. Anderson (Australia) 2-0, 7-5, 6-3.

N. Fraser (Australia) beat A. Olmedo (Peru) 0-7, 6-4.

Men's Doubles (Quarter-Finals)

N. Fraser and Lew Hoad (Australia) beat T. Fancutt and G. Forbes (South Africa) 7-0, 6-3.

J. Barrett and R. Wilson (Britain) beat N. Gibson and W. Woodcock (Australia) 6-2, 3-6, 6-4.

Ham Richardson and Vic Steixas (USA) beat O. Gorria (Cuba) and I. Pimentel (Venezuela) 6-0, 6-2.

Women's Doubles (Quarter-Finals)

Althea Gibson and Darlene Hard (USA) beat P. Hird and A. Mortimer (Britain) 6-4, 6-2.

Mimi Arnold and K. Fagermoen (USA) beat C. Merrells (Belgium) and Z. Kornoczi (Hungary) 7-5, 6-7.

Shirley Bloumer (Britain) and E. Pratt (USA) beat Y. Pannier and R. Reyes (Mexico) 6-3, 3-6, 6-4. —France-Press.

## NARROWEST MARGIN

London, June 20. Nottinghamshire won bonus points against Middlesex in the English County Cricket Championship at Trent Bridge by the narrowest margin yet recorded—one 7/1000th of a run per over.

That they took the lead at all was largely due to their captain, Reg Simpson, former England Test player, who returned to form with 113.—France-Press.

## I HAVE MY SAY

### Let's Give Albion A Big Hand

By Harry Carpenter

Britain has just won a great sporting victory. The Russians still don't know what hit them. But I'll swear if I can find one sports fan in ten who knows how West Bromwich Albion have nobly acquitted themselves on the other side of the Iron Curtain.

Admittedly, I write my share of condemnation of Union Jack apportion, particularly boxers, who don't measure up to the tasks set them.

This time I'm trumpeting good news. Wake up, you blase fans. Salute West Bromwich, who are home from Russia having achieved the marvellous record of winning two games and drawing another against the mighty club sides of the Soviet Union.

Any way, I would like it to go on record because we don't get much of this sort of thing to boost about—just West Bromwich in a three-match tour of Russia, first drew 1-1 with Leningrad.

Then they wiped the floor with Tiflis Dynamo, joint leaders of the Soviet National League, beating them 3-0.

This made Albion the first British soccer side ever to win in Russia; it was the first time Tiflis had been beaten in an international club game for five years; and, said a Tiflis official, "Albion is the best foreign team we have ever met."

### THEIR RELIEF

Albion wound up their triumphant tour by thumping Moscow's Army Central Club 4-2, impressing so much that 65,000 fans screamed at them: "Come again, come again."

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## TRADE and COMMERCE SECTION

HK MARKET LACKS INTEREST  
Phones Lose  
Ground During  
Dull Week

By A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Little interest was shown this week on the Hongkong Stock Exchange which closed on a steady note yesterday.

The turnover for the week was \$3.16 million, a million less than last week's.

The tally for the week was eight higher, seven unchanged and nine lower compared with 11 higher, eight unchanged and five lower last week.

Telephones, which received their highest quote of the year—\$29—last Friday morning dropped 20 cents on the week after showing strength continuously for the past month. They closed at their week's low of \$28.00.

## Doing Well

Cottons are doing well on the market with both Textile Corporation and Nanyang taking on five cents for the week. Wheclocks lost a little ground this week due to profit taking, losing ten cents with a closing quote of \$7.80.

Hongkong Lands closed on an unchanged quote of \$30. Interest in this share may improve when

CHICAGO  
GRAIN  
MARKET

Chicago, June 20. Grains, with the exception of soybeans, closed lower on the Board of Trade today after a moderately active session.

Prices began moving higher shortly after the opening with news of clear weather and reports that harvesting operations will begin soon in the southwest.

Soybeans prices moved higher as export sales in that grain increased and additional foreign activity was expected.

Foreign demand for other grains was slow.

Wheat closed off  $\frac{1}{2}$  to up  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent for now.Soybeans closed up  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 points.

Wheat No. 2 red

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Soybeans No. 2 yellow

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Wheat, New York

200 lb. sack \$13.20

—United Press

## New York Foreign Exchange

New York, June 20. Closing rates were:

Cables 104 15/16

English official 270 4/10

Australia 223 1/2

New Zealand 278 3/16

South Africa 270 1/16

Other unchanged—United Press

## London Foreign Exchange

London, June 20. Closing rates were:

New York 2.071 1.58 3/10

London 10.001 10.001

Amsterdam 1747 1747 1/2

Milan 963 1000 1/2

Paris 963 1000 1/2

Stockholm 1043 1043 1/2

Zurich 1031 1031 1/2

Others unchanged—United Press

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## Our Own Correspondent

Business done on the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately \$280,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

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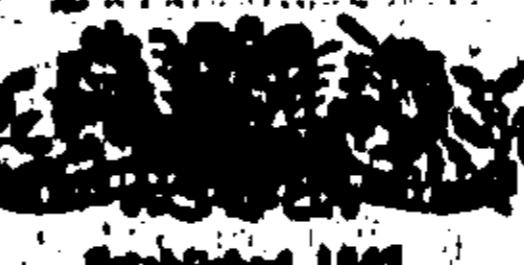
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# CHINA MAIL



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FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1957.

SHEAFFERS

ADMIRAL "SNORKEL" PEN

## DPW's WARNING ON RAIN DAMAGE

*"Really Serious" Problems May Yet Be Discovered*

### DRAINS SURVEY ORDERED

Government revealed today that much of the "really serious" damage caused by the May deluges may not yet have been discovered.

This disclosure was made by Hongkong's newly appointed Director of Public Works, the Hon. A. Inglis.

He said some time was likely to elapse before the Public Works Department could arrive at a full and accurate estimate of the damage caused to the Colony's roads.

(Last week the China Mail published an estimate that the rain caused \$4 million worth of damage to New Territories roads).

Mr Inglis also disclosed that he had ordered a general inspection of the Colony's drainage system to cater for current and future development.

But he said it would be virtually impossible and uneconomic to devise a drainage system capable of coping with every eventuality.

#### Root Cause

Much of the damage—particularly to road formations and base courses—will not necessarily become apparent immediately, Mr Inglis said.

"The really serious damage done to the roads stems from damage done to drains, culverts, nullahs, bridges, embankments, catchwaters and so on."

"We fear that much of this has not yet come to light. Even when the effect is spectacularly visible in the shape of a big landslide or road subsidence, getting back to the root cause and assessing the extent of damage is frequently very difficult."

"For instance, half a bridge collapsed last month at Kam Tin in the New Territories when what is normally a little stream became a raging torrent. Because the water-level still remains abnormally high it is not

yet possible to get at the foundations of the bridge in order to find out exactly how badly they are damaged.

"Again, we know that serious damage has been done to the Beacon Hill catchwater where the phenomenal rainfall of 28 inches in 24 hours was recorded. Over 20 slips occurred along four miles of this catchwater alone—in an area where only minor slips have been recorded for the last 20 years."

#### Full Of Silt

"The catchwater is now full of silt and badly broken in parts. It will be several months before the whole length has been cleared and we are in a position to assess how much repair work is necessary."

"What the public sees in the way of torn-up road surfaces and gaping pot-holes is largely superficial," Mr Inglis said.

"Although it is likely to take time to put right, it does not cause us any real worry. Nor will the bill for surface repairs be particularly out-of-the-ordinary—although it is bound to be heavy because the damage is so widespread and there is so much to be done."

#### Our Worry

"We are getting on with this work with all possible speed."

"What does worry us, however, is the possible extent of invisible damage—which has happened underneath the surface."

"The macadamised top surface of a modern road can be likened

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## English Boy Pleads Guilty To Having Carnal Knowledge Of Girl Aged Six

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"I'll never be able to smooth this one over, Johnny—I told the wife she was just wasting time and money running to beauty shops!"

### Man Accused Of Early Morning Assault

### BIG DONATION FOR HK REFUGEES

At Government House today, H.E. The Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham accepted, on behalf of Hongkong refugees, a donation of antibiotics valued at HK\$150,000 by an international chemical and pharmaceutical firm.

Mr John E. McKeon, Chairman of Pfizer Company, came from Japan to make the presentation.

The Governor received the consignment in the form of two tonne parcels.

The antibiotics will be administered to refugees under the direction of the Government Medical Department.

Following his visit to Government House, Mr McKeon expressed admiration for all that had been achieved by the local authorities in their efforts to improve refugee conditions in the Colony.

"The Hongkong refugee problem has now reached a pitch where it merits serious international concern," Mr McKeon said.

He will be accompanied by his daughter, Miss Tessa Rylands.

Captain Rylands and his family have been in the Colony almost three years. Mrs Rylands and their 11-year-old daughter Elizabeth left the Colony about two months ago.

Miss Tessa Rylands is a prominent member of Hongkong's younger set. During her stay here she was employed as a reporter by the China Mail. Later she took up teaching and later still secured a post with the Foreign Office in Hongkong.

On her arrival in London, Miss Rylands will continue to work for the Foreign Office.

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St John's Cathedral is to have two new stained glass windows—one in the northern and the other in the southern transepts.

The Dean, the Very Rev. F. S. Temple, who is at present on leave in England, is discussing the design, with a stained glass window specialist, Mr. E. H. Nuttgens, who has designed windows for a number of churches in England.

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by a China Mail Reporter

The cost of the two windows will not be known until the designs have been decided upon.

rough drawings have been already sent to Hongkong for consideration by the donor, the Cathedral clergy and the Bishop, the Rev. R. O. Hall.

The Rev. J. G. Froud, chaplain of St John's Cathedral, told the China Mail this morning that it was hoped to install the new windows sometime next year.

### New Stained Glass Windows For St. John's

## White Bee Shelling Not Confirmed

There was no official confirmation in Hongkong this morning on the shelling of the British freighter White Bee by Nationalists outside Amoy on Wednesday night.

An official of the International Import and Export Co. Ltd., owners of the White Bee, said he had received no news from the master of the 1,288-ton vessel, but added that she might have entered and left Amoy already.

Peking Radio reported last night that the White Bee was fired on Little Quemoy, Tatan and Eastan Islands at 10.30 p.m. on Wednesday.

The White Bee was fired on several times in the same vicinity last month.

## Pawned His Friend's Pen

Leung Toi, 20, who pawned a fountain pen he had borrowed from a friend, was bound over in \$200 for one year by Mr Derek Cons at Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Leung, of 31, Queen's Road West, pawned the pen to a pawnbroker on the accused.

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### PETITION TO GOVERNOR

A total of 100 groups representing civic, industrial and commercial bodies, recently sent a petition to H.E. The Governor, requesting Sir Alexander Grantham's assistance to have the increased surcharge on electricity removed.

It was learned that a reply to the petition was expected and a spokesman said he would not like to make any comment until further development.

### US Cruiser In Port

Vice-Admiral W.M. Beakley, Commander of the United States Seventh Fleet, arrived in Hongkong this morning aboard his flag ship, the cruiser Helena, on a routine recreational visit.

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